



I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Box Non-Fee Amendment, Assistant Commissioner of Patent and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231, on

January 3, 2000

Date of Deposit

Sharon V. Hart

Name of applicant, assignee, or

Registered Representative (

Signature

January 3, 2000

Date of Signature

SSSSSSS

888

Art Unit: 36

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Applicant:

MARK H. NAEDLER

09/379,148

Filing Date:

Serial No.:

AUGUST 21, 1999

For:

VEHICLE TIRE INFLATION

SYSTEM

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend this application as follows:

In the Claims:

1. In a tire inflation system for a vehicle having at least one axle with at least one pneumatic tire mounted **[on a hub cap]** on the end of the axle for rotation about the axle end and a source of pressurized air carried by the vehicle for supplying air to the

01 FC:203 02 FC:202 27.00 CH 39.00 CH



